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TO AMEMBASSY ATHENS IMMEDIATE

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AMEMBASSY ROME IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS:CASC, (WHEELER, WILLIAM A.)

SUBJ: W/W ILLIAM A. WHEELER, MASSACHUSETTS, 12/25/19

1. SENATOR KENNEDY INTERESTED.

2. HERBERT WHEELER, BROTHER OF WILLIAM WHEELER, KILLED IN  
CAR ACCIDENT SEPT 28. WILLIAM WHEELER LEFT U.S. ON SEPT 20  
FOR TOURIST TRAVEL TO JERUSALEM (STAY NINE DAYS) THEN  
TRAVEL BY AIR TO ATHENS FOR TWO DAY STAY THEN BY AIR TO  
ROME (LENGTH OF STAY NOT KNOWN) AND TO PARIS BEFORE RETURN  
TO U.S. MR. WHEELER IS A FORMER U.S. NAVAL ATTACHE PRE-  
VIOUSLY STATIONED IN MIDDLE EAST. MR. WHEELER IS TRAVELLING  
WITH HIS WIFE AND IS RESIDENT IN CALIFORNIA. BALANCE OF  
FAMILY IN MASSACHUSETTS DO NOT KNOW WHERE TRAVEL PLANS MADE  
UNABLE PROVIDE FLIGHT OR HOTEL INFORMATION.

2. DEPARTMENT REALIZES INFORMATION SPARSE BUT REQUESTS POSTS  
MAKE REASONABLE EFFORT ATTEMPT LOCATE MR. WHEELER AND INFORM  
HIM OF BROTHER'S DEATH AND REQUEST HIM TO TELEPHONE HIS  
BROTHER KEN WHEELER. NOTIFY DEPARTMENT IF WHEELER NOT  
LOCATED. ROBINSON

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